OTIET IN ROANOKE.

Peace Restored After the Bloody Scenes of Wednesday Night.

BUT FEELING YET RUNS HIGH.

Great Indignation Prevails Against Mayor and Military.

conflicting Opinions as to Responsibillity for Bloodshed.

THREATS AGAINST OFFICIALS

gent of the Mayor and Officers and Privates of the Militia.

THE REPORTS EXAGGERATED

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CAPTURE OF THE NEGRO. Bullets and After-

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The Committee of Sixteen Issue an

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CORONER'S INVESTIGATION.

The coroner did not begin the investigation until 3:20 this afternoon; the remainder of the day being taken up by the viewing of the bodies. Only a few witnesses were examined. Police Justice Turner, who was in the police courtroom at the jail during the riot, said that there was firing from the inside of the jail by the militia and police, but he did not hear any order to fire. He heard the Mayor tell Captain Bird, while the fifting was going on, that he wanted no more men killed. The Mayor, he said, was doing all he could do to quell the riot peaceably.

N. F. Normoyle, said that if the military had ceased after the first shot nobody would have been killed, as the crowd did not have time to get away between fires.

A. L. Jamison, said that the crowd was pelted by builets as they ran. He was in the crowd, and did not hear anyone trying to subdue the riot.

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trying to subdue the riot.

W. I. Jones, said a brick was thrown at the jail from the front before the firing began, and that there were not more than thirty active men in the crowd. The firing, he said, continued after the crowd gave way. He saw no firing from outside. The people had no intimation that firing was to be done.

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ONLY EIGHT MEN DEAD.

The list of the dead was exaggerated last night. Only eight men are dead. There was some confusion as to names. Emmit Small, reported dead last night, is seriously wounded. The wounded are is seriously wounded. The wounded are doing reasonably well, and there have been no deaths to-day.

Small is shot through the left hip. Otto C. Falls, fireman, who was shot through the back, was standing across the street, in front of the jail, merely as a spectator. He is mortally wounded.

J. H. Campbell, a carpenter, is shot in the back, and there is no hope for his recovery.

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Scott Powell was shot through the
body, and is not expected to live. He is
a brakeman on the Norfolk and Western

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J. E. Wayland, a letter-carrier, wa shot in the leg while standing on the side walk in front of the Ponce de Leon he tel, and had no connection with the mob George Leigh, clerk at the Ponce de Leon, was struck by a spent ball while looking on near the hotel. The remainder of the wounded are not

seriously hurt, and they will recover.
W. E. Hall, one of the men instantly killed, came to Roanoke, from Johnstown ist after the flood, in which he lost h wife and children.

Mrs. Bishop is resting quietly.

Following is a revised list of the dead:

S. A. Vick, proprietor of the St. James

William Sheets, a fireman on the Nor-folk and Western railroad. Charles Whitmyer, a conductor on the Norfolk and Western. J. B. Tyler, of Blue Ridge, a section master on the Norfolk and Western. George White, shot through the leg and bled to death. W. E. Hall, Norfolk and Western fire

George Setties, ball player, shot in th

taking establishment of Oakey & Woolwine prepared for burial. White died at home. The body of W. E. Hall will be shipped to-night at 12:30 to Lewistown. Pa., escorted by Bruce Melker, of Wahoo Tribe, No. 12, I. O. R. M. No arrangements have yet been mad

the funerals of the victims, and it is known when they will be buried. drs. Vick was prostrated with grie-the killing of her husband, and her addition is critical. At a late hour to-th the seriously wounded were doing

Following is a list of the wounded: O. C. Falls, Will Eddy, George Monroe, Frank Willis, Thomas Nelson, Leroy White, J. B. McGhee, O. B. Shepard, E. J. S.Campbell, Edgar W. Figgatt, C. P. North, O. B. Tay

scene. They caught the rope by which the negro was hanged and resisted their efforts to carry out their threats, with main strength as well as words. These gentlemen were dragged some distance, but finally persuaded the crowd to desist. Captain Moorman hired a wagon, the body was placed in it, and a reporter driving, and the crowd followed from the scene of the lynching, growing as it moved along. About 500 yards above the parrow-guage bridge, on the banks of the and dragged to a convenient spot, where it was proposed to enact the last scene of the horrible drama

CREMATED.

Preparations were begun for the erec-tion of a funeral pile. Dry lumber and brush-wood, were soon secured in abund-ance. The body was laid upon a huge but a heap of ashes.

sight. Many curiosity seekers mingle with the crowd, and while the body wa with the crowd, and while the body was being burned many people rushed to the front to get something as a relic of the day's happenings. Particles of the ne-gro's clothing and pieces of brush-wood

ADDRESS TO THE PEOPLE. The following is the full text of the address issued to the people late to-night, which has restored order:

"At meetings of the citizens of Roanoke held at different points in the last few hours, the undersigned committee was appointed to look after the interests and welfare of the citizens of the city, and

Mr. R. A. Buckner, Acting Mayor o "Mr. R. A. Buckner, Acting Mayor of the city, has appointed a large number of special policemen, whose duty it is to urge upon the citizens to preserve order, and to disperse to their homes; and every man is asked and appealed to to support these special officers in the preservation of the peace of the city. "The people are assured that everything will be done by this committee, collec-tively and individually, to thoroughly in-vestigate the sad affair of last night, and to deal with any one acting filegally in

to deal with any one acting filegally is accordance with the laws of the land.
"Upon the recommendation of this committee, and charges having been preferred Mr. R. A. Buckner, President of the City Mr. R. A. Buckner, President of the City Council, and Acting Mayor, has suspended Chief-of-Police Terry, J. B. Traynham, and M. C. Morris, pending a full investi-gation; and Mr. Buckner will act as mayor of the city until a full and complete inves-tigation has been made of the action last night of the Mayor, and all the officers of the city. (Signed) JOSEPH H. SANDS, Chairman:

JOHN J. SHEEHAN. J. H. WARD, J. CLEVELAND HALL,

ROBERT AIRHART, W. E. DEATON, W. A. THOMAS, W. P. DUPUY,
J. A. GEARHEART,
ROBERT E. SCOTT,
JOHN E. PENN,
WILLIAM I. ANNIN,
Commit

Mayor Trout at Lynchburg. LYNCHBURG, VA., September 27.-Mayor Trout, of Roanoke, arrived her at 1939 o'clock to-night. He is sufferin. clined to be interviewed.

CAUSED GREAT EXCITEMENT HERE

Traut Well-Known in Richmond. Richmond was in a state of exciteme all day yesterday over the Roanoke affair Expectation was at the highest tension and the query, "What next?" was or every tongue. Early in the morning exaggerated and ugly rumors got affoat, and groups were discussing them every where on the streets. One report wa where on the streets. One report was that rioting had broken out afresh, and that tweive mea had been killed and forty wounded. It was difficult to get definite details regarding the situation, but by neon the Dispatch had placed itself in communication with its news resources in Roanoke, and began bulletining will accounts of the developments there.

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Of course, comment upon the action of the civil authorities of Roanoke and to the military called to their assistance was very free, but public opinion was divided. On the one hand, it was urged that the military, there was necessity for calling out the military, there was necessity for shooting to kill. Military men, as a rule, were chary about expressing an opinion. About the most they would say was that they hoped the soldiers did not act too hastily, and that they fired only upon full authority. In legal circles the view be affair would be in the sense at it would prove to the standard of the military to the action of the leading men of affairs will be a fired only upon full authority. In legal circles the view be affair would be in the sense at it would prove to the sense and southern railroad, and is one of the leading men of affairs would with the nost to hear the men have done more than he has for the upbuilding of Roanoke. As gentleman who knows him well said yester and resolute, and just the man one would be action to the circle.

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Sparks, N. E. Nelms, Charles Moten.
E. J. Small, William Berry, and Susan Dooley (colored).

THE NEGRO CAUGHT.

Smith, the negro who started the trouble, was taken out of the jail during the excitement last night. In charge of a sergeant of police and privates, he was taken out of the city into the woods.

After the mob field to find the Mose and All, however, agreed that the profoundest sympathy was expressed for the families and friends of the killed and wounded.

sergeant of police and privates, he was taken out of the city into the woods. After the mob failed to find the Mayor or the militia, a squad of men began to search for the negro. The officers in charge of the prisoner thought it best to bring him back to jail. A squad of twenty men, who had been in hiding, awaited their opportunity and rushed upon the officers in the residence portion of the city. The negro was swung to the nearest tree, and his body riddled with bullets. This occurred about 5 o'clock this morning. A placard with this inscription:

"MAYOR TROUT'S FRIEND"

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"Was pinned on the negro's back. At the break of day, hundreds began to throng all the streets leading to the scene. At 9 o'clock the coroner cut the body down, and the fury rendered a verilict that he came to his death at the hands of a mob of unknown men. Several hundred of the participants of the disturbance were on the scene by this time, and the body was soon taken from the policemen in whose charge it was left. The mob declared that they would drag the body through the streets of the city and bury it in Mayor Trout's yard. Some suggested that it should lie in state in the Mayor's parlor until the afternoon.

press a disturbance in the city, and that his regiment (the Second), with the exception of three companies, could not be gotten to Roanoke. He, therefore, requested the General to send him six companies and a battery of artillery, adding that the Citizens' Committee thought the troops should be sent immediately, and that the situation had grown more serious since Colonel Stern telegraphed.

In answer to this General Anderson wired:

"Telegram received. Please wire if the Mayor joins you in the request for the troops named. Will give order immediately on receipt."
General Anderson then, in order to emphasize his recognition of the subordination of the military to the civil authorities, also sent this telegram addressed to Mayor Trout:
"Colonel Baker wants additional troops."

addressed to him by saying that the Mayor did join in the request for the troops named, but they might not be needed. brush-wood, were soon secured in abundance. The body was laid upon a huge mass of these; then it was covered with more brush-wood; until only the head remained in view of the 3,000 people who witnessed the horrible spectacle. The whole was literally saturated with coal oil. At 100 o'clock the match was struck, and the fire touched off and amid frantic screams of cheering, the flames roared and crackled, leaping twenty feet in the air, and all that remained of the negro who had caused so much sorrow and bloodshed in the community, was supposed to the negro who had caused so much sorrow and bloodshed in the community, was supposed to the need of the negro who had caused so much sorrow and bloodshed in the community, was supposed to the need of the need o

HAD THE MEN READY. Jones, and the latter in turn had a conference with the proper subordinate officers of the regiment. General Anderson also reported to Adjutant-General McDonaid, who is sick, what steps he had taken, and the Adjutant-General gave the necessary orders for ammunition, should it be required.

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As Governor McKinney is out of the State, the question rose with many as to who had the authority to order additional troops to Roanoke. The authority under which General Anderson would have acted if he had been called upon for aid by the civil authorities of Roanoke is found in section 288 of the code.

The military authorities here did not think it necessary to aggravate the excitement in the city by assembling the men at the armory, but as a precautionary measure they had everything ready to send reinforcements without delay should the summons come. The railroad author-

ities had, of their own motion, made up a train, and Colonel Jones said last night that he could have put his command on it fully equipped for a campaign within an hour and a half after receiving word that they were needed. Up to a late hour last night there were sufficient officers and men at the armory to carry out the system of assembling for emergencies. In short the officers could have put their hands upon every private at almost a mo-

hands upon every private at almost a r ment's notice. JERRY SIMPSON'S CHARGES. REPORT TO THE GOVERNOR.

Notes of Home Interest.

(From Our Regular Correspondent) WASHINGTON, September 21.-Con

at Chatham, and it is not thought that Jerry will care to tackle again the mem-

oer from the noble Ninth.

Mr. R. B. Handy, of (Northampto)
county, has returned to the city, and is
understood he is reasonably cer
tain of being appointed a con
sulate in Germany. Mr. Handy i

an accomplished gentleman, about 3 years of age, and is the editor of the Eastville Herald.

A "MIGHTY GOOD TALK."

Farmer Edmunds, it seems, when he called with Senator Daniel and other

The North Carolina aspirants for co

ranks of some of the Virginia aspirants for consulates. So far as can be ascertained, there are no less than twenty good and worthy Democrats of the State who still hope they will land in office.

Mr. Quincy expects to leave the city to-morrow evening, to engage in the Massachusetts campaign, and it is doubtful if he returns. It is thought probable that a number of appointments will be made to-morrow.

LOOK OUT FOR LAFE.

Congressman Lafe Pence, the Populist member from Colorado, who has already done some stumping in Virginia this year in behalf of the Cocke-Beverley-

stood that he will make a number of speeches in the State.

He goes to Richmond to confer with some of the party managers, and to make future dates for speeches.

O'FERRALL'S COMING MAJORITY. Colonel A. M. Bowman, of Salem, mem er of the Virginia State Democratic Com

BUCHANAN AND THE SOUTHWEST.

Mr. Covington, of Monroe, Assista District Attorney for the Western L trict of North Carolina, is in the city.

(By telegraph to the Dispatch.) WASHINGTON, D. C., September 21.

asked that it lie on the table for the pre-

er from the noble Ninth.

The only telegram received for the Governor yesterday from Roanoke arrived at 6:40 P. M. It read as follows:

ROANOKE, VA., September 21.

"Governor P. W. McKinney, Richmond How They Recoil on the Head of the Kansian. Va: "It was this day ordered by the Mayor

RICHMOND, VA., FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 1893.

of Roanoke, to parade by equipment in the streets of that city for the purpose of suppressing mob violence. Since the order was received things have quieted down and I have only ordered the troops to hold themselves in readiness.

"C. J. BAKER,
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"C. J. BAKER,

"Colonel Second Regiment".

The Richmond military, as a rule, partook less of the populace excitement than the rest of the people. They seemed to look upon the probability of being ordered out as a matter of course. What they did not understand was why the Roanger Light Infantry was dismissed so oke Light Infantry was dismissed so on Monday last denounced at Chatham

high terms. It is said that besides being passing a bill allowing each member of a good soldier he is a good lawyer, and is that body a clerk, and who was forced In a good soldier he is a good lawyer, and is not liable to act outside of the law in any step he may take.

Lieutenant-Colonel Pole, of the Second Regiment, who was on the ground Wednesday, is also spoken well of, and is not thought to be a man who would lose his head easily. Some persons were disposed to severely criticise Captain Bird, who commanded the company which did the shooting, but such criticism was, of course, without detailed knowledge of his environments, or his orders. It is said he had had previous experience in riots. His friends in Richmond did not credit the report that he is in hiding. He was here about a month ago on business, and is described as a small man, with dark eyes, hair and complexion.

MAYOR TROUT NOT FOUND HERE.

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A rumor, which created no little interest here yesterday afternoon, was that Mayor Trout, of Roanoke, was in the city. Very frequently the busy newspaper reporter would be pulled to one side, and asked if this report was true. All efforts on the part of a Dispatch man failed to verify the rumor. It was said that the exiled Mayor was stopping at the American Hotel, but upon inquiry there, the news-gatherer was informed by the clerk that such was not the case. The other hotels were visited, but Mr. Trout was at no one of them. At the Retreat for the Sick the reporter was told that there that such was not the case. The other hotels were visited, but Mr. Trout was at no one of them. At the Retreat for the Sick the reporter was told that there was no patient by that name in the institution, while at St. Luke's Home the matron said that a gentleman whose name was, she believed. Trout, was expected there, but had not arrived.

It had been remarked that Mr. John Skelton Williams, of the banking firm of John L. Williams & Son, had told some one that he (Williams) had seen Mr. Trout in Richmond during the Ly. When Mr. Williams was seen at his home last night, he denied having made such a statement. He had said that he heard the rumor that Ronnoke's Mayor was in the city. It is believed that Mr. Trout the selected the results of the selected that Mr. Trout the selected the results of the selected that Mr. Trout the selected the selected that Mr. Trout the selected that Mr. Trout the selected that Mr. Trout the selected the selected the selected the selected the selected that Mr. Trout the selected that Mr. Trout the selected that Mr. Trout the selected the selected that Mr. Trout the selected that Mr. Trout the selected the selected that Mr. Trout the selected the selected the selected that Mr. Trout the selected that Mr. Trout the selected that Mr. Trout the selected the selected the selected the selected that Mr. Trout the selected the selected the selected that Mr. Trout the selected that Mr. Tr the rumor that Roanoke's Mayor wa the city. It is believed that Mr. T. will arrive in Richmond this morning.

IS WELL KNOWN HERE. Mayor Trout has an extensive acquaintance in Richmond. He is about 54 years
old, and married, and during the wat
was a lieutenant in Pickett's Division.
He served one term in the State Senate,
and made a fine impression. He is president of the First National Bank, of Roadent of the resemble of the server of the serve

Augusta Expension of the Colombia Committee to invite the President, Vice-President, and members of the Cabinet to attend the Exposition and Georgia State Fair as such time as may suit their convenience next November, Governor Northen, President Walsh, of the Exposition Company President J. O: Waddell, of the Georgia Agricultural Society; Mayor Alexander, of Augusta, and Messrs, Carwile, Branch Levy, Howard, O'Connor, and Mulherrin, directors of the Augusta Exposition Company. The committee will leave for Washington early next week.

(By telegraph to the Dispatch.)
WILKESBARRE, PA., September 21By an explosion of gas in the Lance col
lery, No. 11, of the Lehigh and Wilkes barre Coal Company, at Plymouth, this afternoon five men were instantly killed and five others seriously, but not fatally

The explosion was caused by a careles niner and his naked lamp. Gohlitty, wh

New TARISTIS.

(By telegraph to the Dispatch.)

WASHINGTON, September 21.—Chairman Wilson, of the Ways and Menns Committee, to-day announced that the Democratic members of the committee would at once commence work on a new tariff bill. yesterday Mr. Reed made a motion that the hearings be continued for two weeks, but the motion was voted down by the

(By telegraph to the Dispatch.)

ATLANTA. GA., September 21.—Wes End, a suburb of Atlanta, voted by a large majority to-day in favor of annex ation. This adds three thousand to Atlanta's population, carrying it over one hundred thousand. West End contains the bomes of many wealthy and promise. the homes of many wealthy and promi-nent-business and professional men of the city. The terms of annexation mutually agreed upon are very favorable to West End.

(By telegraph to the Dispatch.)
CHARLESTON, S. C., September 21.—
The United States Internal Revenue Dspartment to-day seized thirteen barrels of alleged liquor, already levied upon by the State under the dispensary law. These of alleged liquor, arready in the state under the dispensary law. These barrels came from New York on a Clyde Line steamer, and are suspected of being contraband. They are seized by the revenue department for violation of the law which prohibits the transportation of liquors under disguised names.

Pineapple Misrepresented.
(By telegraph to the Dispatch.)

MONTGOMERY, ALA., September 21.A special to the Advertiser from Pinear
ple, Ala., states that there is absolute
no truth in the reported fight there be
tween the whites and the blacks. Th
report has been scattered broadcast, an
Pineapple wants it emphatically denied.

(By telegraph to the Dispatch.) NAVASOTA, TEXAS, September 21. A Santa Fe passenger train was wrecked last night near Montgomery. G. A Morse, of Galveston, was badly injured and Mrs. L. Regan and two children were probably fatally hurt. Died of Hydrophobfa.

(By telegraph to the Dispatch.) ATLANTA, GA., September 21.—Ann Brown, a respectable colored woman, die it Grantville to-day from hydrophoba the had tried a mad-stone and got ten

PROPOSED MONETARY COMMISSION.

The repeal bill was then taken up, and Mr. Gallinger (Republican) N. H., gave notice of an amendment which he intended to offer to it looking to the appointment of a monetary commission of three financial experts from private life (to be appointed by the President), three Senators, and three Representatives.

Mr. White (Demorat), Cal., took the floor to argue against the unconditional repeal of the purchasing clause of the Sherman act, and after he had spoken three hours and a half, he suggested that if Mr. Voorhees desired to make any motion, he would yield the floor and go on again to-morrow. But Mr. Voorhees preferred that Mr. White should continue, and Mr. White said that he would do so, as he was not at all tired. So he went on with his speech, and declared that unconditional repeal of the Sherman law meant the total abolition of sliver as a money metal. He closed with an appeal for conditional of silver as a money metal. He closed with an appeal for conditional repeal of the Sherman law meant addentity for the silver producing States.

the total abolition of silver as a money metal. He closed with an appeal for consideration for the silver producing States, and finished his speech at 5:20 o'clock, having spoken four hours and twenty minutes, and was complimented by many Senators on having expressed himself forcibly and eloquently.

VOORHEES FOR A VOTE. VOORHEES FOR A VOTE.

Then a suggestion was made by Mr. Voorhees that it was too early for the Senate to adjourn, and that the rest of the day might be occupied by Mr. George, of Mississippl, in finishing the speech begun by him yesterday. Mr. George, however, preferred not to go on this evening, as he could not expect any attention after the able and brilliant speech which the Senate had just heard.

"If we cannot have further debate,"

the able and brilliant speech which the Senate had just heard.

"If we cannot have further debate," said Mr. Voorhees, "then the next thing is to vote. I move to lay on the table the pending amendment to the bill (Mr. Peffer's) and on that motion I ask the yeas and nays." Mr. Jones (Arkansas) moved an adjournment, but withdrew that motion in order to allow Mr. Butler to move to proceed to executive business, which motion Mr. Butler made.

Mr. Voorhees said that his call for the yeas and nays should be decided before Mr. Butler's motion was put, but the Vice-President decided against him. Mr. Teller suggested the absence of a quorum, saying that no vote should be taken until a call of the roll was had. The point was

a call of the roll was had. The point was admitted by the Vice-President, and the roll was called, showing that there were fifty-five Senators present. A motion to adjourn was then made by Mr. Wolcott and was defeated—Yeas 19, nays 34—as

Yeas—Messrs. Allen, Bate, Butler, Call, DuBois, Harris, Jones (Arkansas), Kyle, Martin, Mitchell (Oregon), Peffer, Pettl-grew, Power, Pugh, Roach, Shoup, Stewart, Teller, and Wolcott,—19.
Nays—Messrs. Allison, Brice. Caffery, Camden, Chandler, Faulkner, Frye, Gallinger, Gibson, Gordon, Gorman, Gray, Hale, Hawley, Higgins, Hill, Hoar, Hunton, Lindsay, Lodge, McPherson, Mills, Murphy, Pasco, Platt, Proctor, Ransom, Smith, Squire, Stockbridge, Turple, Vilas, Voorhees and White (Louisiana)—34.
Mr. Butler's motion for an executive session was defeated—Yeas 29, nays 31.
Mr. Teller moved an adjournment, but Mr. Voorhees objected.
After some further colloquy, Mr. Voorhees withdrew the motion to lay Mr. Peffers of the session was defeated—Yeas 20, nays 31.

hees withdrew the motion to lay Mr. Pet-fer's amendment on the table and Mr. Teller withdrew the motion to adjourn Teller withdrew the motion to adjourn. This did not stop the flow of words, however, until 7:30 o'clock, when, after a brief executive session, upon Mr. Voorhees's motion, the Senate adjourned until to-

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.
There were not more than 100 members present when the Speaker's gavel called the House to order to-day.
The Journal having been read, Mr. Reed suggested that the document was not correct, although he thought the journal clerk had shown good judgment in writing the journal as he had. He had stated that the Speaker had ruled out certain motions yesterday on the ground that they were dilatory motions. This was not the fact, though it should have been so, and he called the attention of the Speaker to the matter. called with Senator Daniel and others yesterday at the State Department, to put in a word or two in behalf of Dr. Samuel Staples, of Roanoke, for a consulate in Syria, made a "mighty good talk," as they say in Virginia, before Assistant-Secretary Quincy, but Mr. Edmunds was too modest to say anything about the part he took. It is, however, bearned that he made a good impression to the matter.

The Speaker replied that owing to the

nbout the part he took. It is, however, fact that the Committee on Rules had been in session this morning he had not had an opportunity to examine the journal, but that from listening to it he was of the impression it was not correct. He took the journal to examine it, and while trok the journal to examme it, and while he was doing so, Messrs. Reed and Outhwaite had a pleasant little passage with vocal foils, which disturbed the Speaker in his examination, and he finally called both gentlemen to order, and stated that debate was out of order. Thereupon Mr. Reed suggested that the approval of the journal be postponed until the Speaker had an orportunity to examine it, no rights of any member to find objection to it being surrendered in the meantime. This course was followed, and the House proceeded to business without approving the journal. The North Carolina aspirants for con-sular places are getting uneasy, as the places are becoming scarcer and scarcer. Mr. Pendleton King, of Guilford county. Colonel Martin, of Asheville; Major Hale, of Fayetteville, and other excellent Demo-crats of the Old North State, have been pressed for positions at the department. There is also a lonesome feeling in the ranks of some of the Virginia aspirants for consulates. So far as can be ascer-

Rules, reported a resolution providing that on September 26th the House shall proceed to consideration of the Federal Election bill; that debate shall continue Election bill: that debate shall continue until October 9th, at the close of which day the previous question shall be considered, as ordered on the bill in all its stages; and that on October 10th the various votes shall be taken without debate or intervening motions.

Mr. Catchings demanded the previous question, and the yeas and nays were ordered. The previous question was ordered—Yeas, 175; nays, 4—and the report of the Committee on Rules was adopted—

of the Committee on Rules was adopted yeas, 179; nays, 3. COMMITTEE CLERKSHIPS.

Mr. Rusk (Democrat) of Maryland, pr

Mr. Rusk (Democrat) of Maryland, presented a report from the Committee on Accounts, recommending that those committees to which clerks were assigned in the Fifty-second congress—thirty-six in number—be assigned clerks in the Fifty-third congress.

Mr. Paynter, of Kentucky, for himself and Mr. Mutchler (Democrat) of Pennsylvania, presented a minority report, recommending that eleven of the more unimportant or mmittees be not assigned clerks, and that all clerks not made annual by the statute be l'mited to the session roll.

These reports provoked a rather heated debate, in the course of which Mr. Paynter said that he had not expected to make a minority report, but that for reasons, which he would not then explain, he had changed his mind. Still, he felt it his duty to give the House the information respecting the work of some of the committees, which he had gathered as a member of the Committee on Accounts. He had found, he said, that the several committees on expenditures in the various departments, for instance, had not averaged more than one report a year for the past eighteen years. One committee in the Senate has jurisdiction of all matters referred to these eight or nine committee in the House, and if he could do so by his vote he would wipe them out of existence. There were fifteen committees which he would be deprived of clerks, ber of the Virginia State Democratic Com-mittee for so many years, and one of the prominent men of his section, in an interview here to-day, predicted that Colo-nel O'Ferrali's majority for Governor would, in his opinion, be from 50,000 to 75,000. Colonel Bowman also said he did BUCHANAN AND THE SOUTHWEST.
Ex-Congressman Buchanan, of Virginia, who arrived here yesterday from Richmond on his way to New York, looked very natural to-day as he sat in the hall of the House, and received the hearty hand-shakes of many of his former congressional associates. Mr. Buchanan says the outlook for the Democrats in the Southwest is very bright, but that, of course, the campaign has not fairly opened in that portion of the State.
Mr. Covington, of Monroe, Assistant members, and in the course of his answers he stated that his plan would save \$1,250 per month. He offered as a substitute for the two reports from the committee, a resolution providing for the allotment of clerks to committees so as to carry out the reduction he advocated in his remarks, and the substitute was agreed to—yeas 120, nays 78.

Mr. Crain (Democrat) of Texas, moved to reconsider the vote; and pending that, moved that the House adjourn. SENATE-MR. Peffer reintroduced a bill to provide for a bureau of loans, and sent. It is, with some modifications, the

sent. It is, with some modifications, the same as that he introduced in May, 1852. Mr. Platt offered the resolution for cloture of which he gave notice last Tuesday. He advocated the adoption of his proposition. The rules of the Senate, Mr. Platt said, ought to facilitate the transaction of business. That proposition would not be denied. But the rules of the Senate, as they stood to-day, made it almost or entirely impossible to transact business. He offered his resolution in good faith. As one member of the minority side of the chamber, he would stand by it through thick and thin. He did not present it by authority of the minority. He offered it in good faith, believing that it was practically the only THE JOURNAL CORRECTED Pending this motion, the Speaker again rutmitted this morring's journal. desaid that the journal as read this morning had not been examined by the Speaker, as his duties compelled him to be present at a meeting of the Committee on Rules. When it was read this morning the Chair had discovered that it was wrong in four When it was read this morning the Chair had discovered that it was wrong in four distinct particulars. The journal had stated that the Chair had given certain reasons for his decisions yerterday; and these reasons had been recorded incorrectly. The House would remember that in some of these decisions the chair had refrained from giving the reasons on which he based his action. The journal ought not to put into the mouth of the Speaker reasons that he had not assigned

matter of the proposed amendment, the resolution went over till to-morrow, although it had previously been referred to the Committee on Rules.

PROPOSED MONETARY COMMISSION.

The repeal bill was then taken up, and Mr. Gallinger (Republican) N. H., gave notice of an amendment which he incended to offer to it looking to the appropriate the support of the day after publication.

CONSUL TO CADIZ.

Receives This Appointment.

(From Our Regular Correspondent.) (From Our Regular Correspondent.)
WASHINGTON, D. C., September 2.—
At 3 o'clock this afternoon the President sent a large number of nominations to the Senate, including a number of Consular appointments. The first name on the list was that of Captain Charles L. Adams, of Lynchburg, who is appointed Consul to Cadia, in Spain. The place is worth \$1,000 of \$3,500 per year, including salary and fees. Captain Adams is a well-known gentleman, has been an active-working Democrat, and a month ago in the Dispatch correspondence he was

The Hong Keng consulate was filled today, as was also that at Constantinople.
It is said that Mr. Pendleton King, of
North Carolina, would have taken the
latter position. Hong Kong was held by
Colenel John S. Mosby and ex-LieutenantGovernor Withers, of Virginia, and at one
time it was thought another Virginian
would be sent there.

Minister Smythe, of Tazewell county,
first had his eyes set upon Hong Kong,
and Colonel Hampton Hoge at one time
was hoping in that direction; but now Mr.
Smythe goes to Haiti as a Minister,
and Colonel Hoge, it is said, will soon
sail for Amoy.

COL. BRECKINRIDGE OVERRULED. Be Reached.

(By telegraph to the Dispatch.)

WASHINGTON, September 21.—The demurrer filed by Colonel W. C. P. Breckinridge to the suit of Miss Madeline V. Pollard against him for \$50,000 damages for breach of promise of marriage, etc., was argued in the District Court to-day before Judge Cox by Mr. Enoch Totten on behalf of Congressman Breckinridge, and by Jere M. Wilson and Calderon Carlisle for Miss Pollard. Mr. Totten claimed that there could be but one contract of marriage, and, therefore, one promise was all that was necessary to allege. Hence, in setting out more than one in the same declaration the plaintiff made it faulty and bad in substance. The Court overruled the demurrer, and directed the case to be set for trial on its merits. The condition of the docket is such that it is not expected the case will be reached for two years. (By telegraph to the Dispatch.)

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WASHINGTON, September 21.-The President to-day nominated:
Luthur Short, of Indiana, to be Consul-General of the United States at Constan-General of the United States at Constantinople, Turkey.

Lawrence Townsend, of Penusylvania, to be Secretary of the Legation of the United States at Vienna.

D. D. Lynch Pringle, of New York, to be Secretary of the Legation of the United States at Honduras and Consul-General to Gnatemala.

To be Consuls of the United States: Charles L. Adams, of Virginia, at Cadiz, Spain.

Joseph F. Baya, of Florida, at Baracoa, Thomas R. Gibson, of Georgia, at Bei-

R. P. MacDaniel, of Florida, at Bahia,
Brazil.

Josiah L. Pearcy, of Tennessee, at Colon
(Aspunwall), Columbia.

James H. Bible, of Tennessee, to be Attorney of the United States for the Eastern district of Tennessee.

Postmaster: Alabama, J. T. Gorman,
Opelika.

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Naminations Confirmed. WASHINGTON, September Senate has confirmed the follow

niston; W. Luther Pratt, at Blocton; Wm. B. Copeland, at Birmingham; Joseph H. Adams, at Ozark. Georgia: Wm. Redd, Jr., at Columbus; Mulford M. Pepper, at Rome; James O. Farrell, at Athens; John A. Dyson, at Washington; John T. Heard, at Elberton; Thomas A. Balley, at Darlen; C. M. Wright, at Milledgeville. Florida; H. W. Clark, at Jacksonville.

THE COLORED PEOPLE'S FAIR. Large Crowd Out Yesterday-Street Pa

rade, Races, and Other Features.

Yesterday was the big day of the Colored People's Fair given under the auspices of the Virginia Industrial, Building and Loan Association, George Williams, Jr., president. A street parade was among the features of the day. It was made up of the Capitol City Band of Washington, D. C., E. S. Hoffman leader, with its managers, W. H. Lee president, P. H. Dixon vice-president, W. N. Dodson manager; Washington Cadet Corps, Lieutenant E. L. Webster commanding; First Battalion Band, of this city, Moses Johnson leader; Broad-street Zouaves, Captain David Hill commanding; East-End Cadets, Captain Charles Bray commanding; and

David Hill commanding; East-End Cadets,
Captain Charles Bray commanding; and
the Wild West Show. A number of carriages containing the officials constituted a
part of the procession.

The exhibits at the Exposition-grounds,
while not up to those of former years,
were creditable in quality, embracing
crochet- and needlework, drawings, and

crochet- and needlework, drawings, and bread, cakes, preserves, and a scant supply of farm products.

The main feature was the racing. The first race was won by Sandy Brown, owned by George Waller, with Billy Filppin, owned by Cornelious Robinson, second. One mile race was won by horse owned by George Waller, with horse owned by James Ellis second.

The bicycle races: One mile won by Thomas Edwards, of Washington, first prize, \$10: second, John Jackson, of Washington, prize \$5: third, William Gray, prize, a diploma. Time 3 minutes, 15 seconds.

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Two-mile race won by William Geary,
of Washington, prize gold medal; second,
Humphrey Stevens, prize silver medal;
third, Frank Turner, of Washington, a

diploma.

Half-mile bicycle race won by Hum-phrey Stevens, of Richmond, prize \$5; second, a member of the Washington Club, prize, a diploma.

Ezra Kendali's new Play.

Ezra Kendali's new play. "The Substitute." is represented as a comedydrama with a plot that should satisfy the most exacting, but with enough of comedy to keep the interest from flagsing. As its name indicates it is a story growing out of an incident of the civil war, a friend and neighbor becoming the "substitute" for the young husband and father who is drafted, and whose death before the substitute's return home results in making him not only a substitute for the war but also thereafter for life by his marrying the young widow and thereby becoming a substitute father to the child. "The Substitute" will be presented at the Academy of Music to-night and to-morrow night by a strong company. The advance sale indicates large houses. There will be a matinee on Saturday.

## TO THE NEGRO VOTER.

AN ADDRESS URGING HIM TO THROW OFF HIS BONDS OF SERVITUDE.

Called-Old Dominion's Officers-State Committee Meeting To-Night

A meeting lof representative colored emocrats was held at 702 east Broad street last evening. The meeting was in the nature of a conference with Rev. on Rules of the Negro National Demo-

cratic League. They reviewed the plans of the League for work in Virginia, and adopted an address to the colored voters of the State which deplores the present sad condition

The place in Syria that Dr. Staples of Roanoke, wanted, viz., Beirut, was given out to-day. It goes to a Georgian. The Secretary of Legation at Guatemala, etc., and Consul-General was also appointed to-day. This is the position that Mr. Sam Kimberly, of Norfolk, held. He is here now.

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will distribute the address adopted last night and proceed to establish local leagues throughout the State.

Rev. P. H. White made a strring address at the close of the meeting, and among other things predicted that the appointment by President Cleveland of representative colored men to positions of honor and trust would draw many colored voters into the Democratic ranks.

OLD DOMINION CLUB OFFICERS.

There was a big meeting of Old Domin. There was a big meeting of Old Domin-ion Democratic Club last night, Speeches were made by Hon. William Lovenstein, candidate for renomination to the State Senate, and Messrs. Heverly T. Crump

and Julian Bryant, aspirants to seats in the House of Delegates. The club held its annual election of officers with the its annual election of officers with the following results:
James F. Flournoy, president; Walter E. Joyner, first vice-president; E. F. Duesberry, second vice-president; J. A. Warren, third vice-president; Joseph Lichtenstein, fourth vice-president; Abe Cahn, secretary; J. A. Carter, assistant secretary; John H. Frischkorn, treasurer; Paron O. Gentry, sergeant-at-arms; Thos. J. Wood, William Kanary, and Joseph Hoffley, trustees.

THE STATE COMMITTEE TO-NIGHT THE STATE COMMITTEE TO-NIGHT.
The State Central Democratic Committee and the Democratic Executive Confinitee will meet at the Exchange Hotel at 8 o'clock to-night to confer regarding the campaign and map out more freely the plan of work. It is expected that there will be a full attendance.

At State Democratic headquarters Chairman Ellyson and Secretary Fisher are hard at work answering letters and arranging appointments for speakers.

Hon, R. M. Burton, Democratic nominee for the House from Prince Edward county, was in the city yesterday and gave a favorable report of the prospects of the party in his section.

Colonel John B. Cary, in response to a call from citizens representing all

a call from citizens representing all classes of the community, has announced himself as a candidate for nomination for the Senate. Colonel Cary is at present in the Senate. Colonel Cary is at present in Chicago.

The Thurman Democratic Club will hold a large meeting to-night at their rooms, corner of Eighteenth and Main streets, at which many of the good citizens of Jefferson Ward are expected to be present. All the candidates for the legislature are cordially invited to be present.

The entertainment to be given by Pro-fessor Gentry's happy family of intelligent ponies and brilliant dogs in this city, under their tent on Main and Harvie streets every night next week, with matinee Wednesday, Thursday, and Saturday, is indeed a happy family. They are handsome, tutelligent, educated, and they will make you laugh. They will surprise you. Their every action is wonderful. They perform what no other company of animal actors ever attempted. They have appeared in every city on the American continent before millions of the best people in the land. They have amused more children than any other one attraction in the world. They are particularly fond of children. They love candy, apples, and all kinds of sweetmeats. The prices have been reduced to suitthe times. Children, 16 cents, adults, 20 cents. Reserved seats 10 cents extra.

Those going to Chicago about October 1st will find it to their advantage to join the personally-conducted party to leave Richmond at 2 P. M. October 2d. Mem-Richmond at 2 P. M. October 21. Members of this party will have advantages which are unobtainable for the money as individuals. Send for circular outlining the trip.

John D. Porra,

D. P. A. C. and O. Railway,

809 east Main, Richmond, Va.

The Norfolk and Western Railroad was
the first line between Richmond and
Chicago to give Pullman-car privileges to
the public on the \$19 round-trip tickets.
Through Pullman sleeper between Petersburg and Chicago. For full information,
tickets and Pullman reservations apply at
the Company's office, 838 east Main street.
R. W. Courrney.
District Passenger Agent.

Further World's-Fair Reduction in Rate

Further World's-Fair Reduction in Rates via the Chesapeake and Obio.

The Chesapeake and Obio, in order to give everybody an opportunity to visit the World's Fair during the last days as comfortably as possible and by the most direct route, are selling tickets at half-rates—namely, \$19 to Chicago and return from Richmond and Norfolk, and \$17 from Lynchburg. These tickets will be good in sleeping-cars and will give all privileges of their limited trains and its short and direct line. Sleeping-car space will be reserved on these hair-rate tickets by applying to any of the company's agents.

Sos Main street, Richmond.

School Books and School Supplies wholesale and retail: Text-Books used in public and private schools and colleges, Second-hand books cheap. Everything used in school-room. Hunne Co., 629 Broad street.

Lately three customers have returned fine pianos and relinquished all they had paid. Any quick customers can get the advantage thus offered. Surprisingly low prices. Manly B. Ramos & Co., 363 Main

Round trip to Norfolk or Newport Nows on the new steamer Pocationts next Sat-urday night at 10 o'clock. Tickets also good to return the following Tuesday. This will probably be your last chance this season.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has be used for children teething. It soothes t child, softens the gums, allays all ps cures wind colic, and is the best reme for diarrhoss. 25 cents a bottle. Mantels, Grates, and Tiling, in vari tyles and low prices, at John Bownes's, Governor street